

SORRY...

OUR SYRIAN BROTHERS

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الحمد لله، والصلاة والسلام على رسول الله وصحبه ومن والاه.

The Almighty says: (*And if one of the idolaters seek protection from you, grant him protection till he hears the word of Allah, then make him attain his place of safety; this is because they are a people who do not know*) 6 Surah At-Tawbah. This is what Allah ordered the Muslims to do in case a polytheist Kaffir sought protection from them. Therefore, what if this protection was sought by a Muwahid Moslem as in the case of the Syrian refugees, who came to Algeria fleeing from the genocide carried out by the Nusayri regime in Syria against the Ahl Al-Sunnah there? No doubt in that case, it becomes more emphatic; and receiving them, hosting them, helping them and showing warm hospitality to them are one of the most important obligations. Allah Almighty says: (*and if they seek aid from you in the matter of religion, aid is incumbent on you*) 72 Surah Al-Anfal. He also says: (*The Believers men and women, are protectors one of another*) 71 Surah At-Tawbah.

The messenger, prayers and peace of Allah be upon him and his family, said: *"The example of the Believers in their mutual love and mercy for one another is like that of one body."* The Quranic verses and prophetic Hadiths that recognize that meaning are many.

Thus the brotherhood of faith that knits together the sons of this Ummah is clearly stated in the Quran and the essence of the Sunnah. Therefore, what our brothers, the Syrians, are suffering today in Algeria is almost a form of maltreatment. It is a clear and blatant violation of the Sharia, customs, traditions and civility, especially since most of those refugees are women, children and elderly.

We in Al-Qaeda in the Islamic Maghreb declare our innocence before Allah, the Ummah and for the sake of history. We apologize to the heroic Mujahid Syrian people that are rising up. We say to them directly from Al-Qaeda and on behalf of the Algerian people:

It is a fact that the Ahl Al-Sunnah in Syria is being exposed to a war of annihilation in every sense of the word. It is clear that several regional and global parties are engaged in this war in a clear conspiracy.

And we say if all Muslims – especially our Syrian brothers – were able to accept the positions of countries such as America, Europe, and even Russia, China and Iran that either let them down or worked against them, they will never be able to understand the position of the Algerian regime regarding the Syrian revolution in general and the Syrians who fled to Algeria in particular.

The Syrian refugees, while in their journey to Algeria, imagined that they would be guests in the country of the one and a half million martyrs. They had heard a lot about this country that supports liberation movements and all the just causes in the world. It is more intense in its support of Arab causes. It is a country whose leaders and media used to enjoy repeating slogans that were once fundamental to Algerian foreign policy such as, "Algeria is with the people's right of self-determination" or "Algeria is with Palestine whether it is the oppressor or the oppressed". However, these were surprised with the cold welcome and even disregard and negligence. That was the first insult, and then it was followed by a series of provocations that even amounted to scolding them for begging because they found themselves in the open air living on the charity of the good people of Algeria.

When the conditions of the refugees were brought up in the media and in public circles, the state was forced to intervene. Adding insult to injury, it assigned them to crowded lodging, unsuitable for humankind because it didn't have the basic elements for a decent life. Therefore, it was obvious that the refugees would refuse it, but the state, through its interior minister, shamelessly threatened them with punishment under the penalty of law.

So our oppressed brothers ran away from the rain to find themselves under the gutters. They ran away from Bashar and sought the protection of Bouteflika. However, they found that they had jumped out of the frying pan into the fire. They had miscalculated in choosing Algeria as a country of refuge for them. What made them make that mistake is that they didn't believe that Algeria was still a country under occupation, and they did not know that Algeria is still a nation that hasn't been liberated from the yoke of colonialism. If they had been aware of Bouteflika's positions regarding the previous Arab revolutions, they would have known that this regime would punish them and take vengeance on them as soon as their feet touched the runway at the airport. That is because the Syrian revolution from his perspective is a crime, and the revolutionaries are the perpetrators. Therefore, the Syrian people who support the revolution and the revolutionaries are perpetrators.

Bouteflika's stance here is basic and old. He conspired against the revolution in Tunisia and even more so against the Libyan revolution. Today, he is supporting the Syrian regime and defending it in international assemblies claiming that Algeria adheres to the principal of not interfering with the internal affairs of other countries and to the principal of neutrality regarding conflicts in foreign countries. This is even though he ignores and does not condemn the open and blatant Iranian and Russian interference in Syria.

This is a disgraceful stance of the Algerian regime regarding these refugees especially during this month, the month of fasting, the month of solidarity and mutual support. This stance caused pain and angered the people and brought pain to those who have merciful hearts even of non-Muslims. This proves how big their complex is and the extent of the lunacy that hit this regime with the revolutions that turned its domestic and foreign policies into a pile of controversies. There is no better proof than the Syrian revolution where it found itself in the same trench with Israel. They- just as the Jews - don't want the Syrian regime to fall to the Ahl Al-Sunnah, who would remove it from the grip of the Nusayri sect.

In conclusion, I praise the stand of the sincere Algerian people who rose up to help their brothers, the Syrian refugees, when they saw the Algerian state fail and evade its responsibility. This is even though a broad section of its own people are also living as refugees in their own country, dwelling in tin houses and eating from garbage dumps. I urge all the honorable and generous people in Algeria in their different positions whether they are preachers, imams, intellectuals, journalists or people of wealth to do what the Sharia obliged them to do. They should help their brothers whose circumstances forced them to leave their homeland and property, and flee with their children the hell of an unjust war. They should not leave them exposed to the elements or to the mercy of this regime. It has become certain that this regime won't respect their honor or sanctity until Allah relieves this plight and ends this distress. Syria will then return to its people and religion and all the refugees will return to their homeland with their dignity preserved and their honors protected. They will return with the best impression of this hospitable people and will have the clearest view of this impostor regime. Therefore, our Syrian brothers will know that the people are innocent from the acts of the regime and its unbecoming behavior towards them. The Algerians themselves for decades up to this day have been receiving insults many times more than what these refugees have received.

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